

# North Carolina Council on the Holocaust

NORTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION www.ncpublicschools.org/holocaust-council

# PROGRAMS & SERVICES\_\_\_\_

# **HOLOCAUST TEACHER WORKSHOPS** (See also ncholocaustcouncil.org)

- One-day workshops; 8-10 workshops a year across the state.
- Holocaust survivor or child of survivor and Best Practices presenter in each workshop.
- One of seven focus topics: Why Teach about the Holocaust in 2019-20, History of the Holocaust & the N.C. Connection, Anti-Semitism, Nazi Propaganda, Resistance in the Holocaust, Education in the Third Reich, and Deadly Medicine: Eugenics.
- Teaching materials distributed; CEU certificate provided.
- No charge; substitute pay provided for public school teachers.

## **New:** HOLOCAUST TEACHER'S GUIDE (Online)

- New publication with 23 narratives by 21 survivors who became North Carolina residents.
- Available for free download as full guide, individual chapters with lesson plans, time line, supplemental materials, and the 23 individual narratives.

#### TRAVELING EXHIBITS FOR SCHOOLS AND LIBRARIES

- **KINDERTRANSPORT.** 17-panel exhibit on the 10,000 children rescued from Nazi-held countries between 1938 and 1940.
- **DR. SEUSS WANTS YOU!** 14-panel exhibit exploring the WWII political cartoons of Theodor Geisel against fascism, bigotry, and anti-Semitism.
- FACES OF RESISTANCE: WOMEN IN THE HOLOCAUST. Six separate exhibits: Women in Resistance, Everyday Life in the Ghetto, Armed Struggle in the Ghetto, The Final Solution, Resistance in the Camps, and Women Partisans: Fighting in the Forest.
- **LIFE AFTER SURVIVAL.** 14-panel exhibit on the U.N. relief efforts for Jewish and non-Jewish children in a German children's home after the war.
- **TRIUMPH OF LIFE.** 40 laminated posters depicting the Jewish resistance to Nazi oppression, focusing on the individual lives of survivors.
- FENCES, WALLS, AND BUTTERFLIES. 12 panels of Israeli children's art on the Holocaust.
- **SUITCASE EXHIBITS.** Suitcases with books, videos, photos, and artifacts: (1) Salvaged Pages: Young Writers' Diaries of the Holocaust; (2) Susan Cernyak-Spatz on surviving Auschwitz.
- No charge. Lesson plans and support material accompany the exhibits.
- Contact your regional coordinator (right) to schedule an exhibit.

## TRAVELING PLAYS

- **Let Your Children Tell**. 50-minute play based on the experiences of four teenagers persecuted during the Holocaust; presented by the Touring Theatre of NC.
- **Etty.** 45-minute one-woman play based on the diaries and letters of Etty Hillesum, a young Dutch woman who was killed in Auschwitz at age 29.
- Contact Michael Abramson, Council Chairman (mabramson919@gmail.com), about funding support for performances in your school or community.

## REGIONAL LENDING LIBRARIES

• Five regional lending libraries of Holocaust teaching materials for classroom use.

## ANNUAL STATE HOLOCAUST COMMEMORATION

• Held in Raleigh each spring near the annual U.S. Day of Remembrance.

## **SPEAKERS BUREAU**

 Holocaust survivors and children of survivors available to speak free of charge to school groups and other audiences.

## OTHER RESOURCES FOR EDUCATORS

- Funding support for DVDs and classroom sets of books.
- See Council website for recommended online teaching resources.

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